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EXPECT GERMANY TO CONFIDE HER TERMS

TEUTONIC DIPLOMATS THINK CONFIDENTIAL NOTE WILL COME SOON.

SWEDEN ADDS HER ENTREATY

Note Supporting Wilson's Request Is Handed Belligerents and Neutrals.

(Associated Press)

London, Dec. 27-A dispatch from The Hague to the Exchange Tele graph says: "In view of a prepara tory meeting of delegates to the peace conference suggested in Germany's reply to Wilson's note German agents who have arriged at The Hague are making inquiries concerning hotel ac commodations for the German dele

COMMENT OF PRESS ON SITUATION AT VARIANCE

The promptness of Germany's redence of Germany's eagerness to end Hilles made it clear at the Republican gational Preachers' State association. the war. The Standard says: "It would be a mistake to neglect the German peace maneuvers, but it become the center of a sentiment for would be even more fatal to waste the abolition of the direct primary time over them. We trust the govern- system and the choice of uninstructment will give Wilson a courteous ed delegates to conventions. Senator Weeks shows sympathy with this with the war as energetically as pos-

The Mail, a morning paper, says Germany's reply to Wilson is a "German peace dodge."

SWEDISH NOTE BACKING WILSON GIVEN TO COUNTRIES

Berne (via Paris), Dec. 27- The Tageblatt says Swedish diplomatic representatives have handed to the belligerents and neutrals a note supporting those of the United States and Switzerland.

WASHINGTON CONSIDERS SITUATION NOT HOPELESS

Washington, Dec. 27—Despite the disappointment felt because Germany were two differing views of the effect has not acceded to the president's sug of the German note on the gestion to lay down her peace terms, efforts toward peace. Administration the general view prevailed that the officials while refusing to discuss the reply to Wilson's note was another possibilities, were clearly pessimistic. step forward in the peace movement, insisting on her demand for an immebecause it left room for subsequent diate meeting for belligerent states re-

not been closed for Germany to lay ment believes, takes the entire matter down her terms as the allies demand. The next move will not be determin- so far as further initiative efforts are ed upon until the offictal text of the concerned. It places squarely before can, was the victim of a mysterious laration that Mr. Gardner will support reply, which Berlin says has' been the entente powers Germany's inhanded to Gerard, has been received sistence on an untrammelled considand considered.

Officials are inclined to the view that the door to negotiations must necessarily remain open until the entente closes it.

and has sent copies to the neutrals, their families are invited. urging a consideration of terms for

Senator Would Abolish Direct Primary System. BROTHER OF A.C.

At His Home in Mobridge,

South Dakota.

Congregational church and had in

former years occupied the pulpit of

Salle and Alton in this state, after-

wards removing to Crookston, Minn.,

and later to Grand Forks, N. Dak.

bridge, S. Dak., where he was in

charge of the church at the time of

remaining of his family who reached

maturity, one of whom is A. C. War-

TERS FOR DISTRICT TO WHICH

(Associated Press)

comprise District No. 6. Michigan,

STERLING MEXICAN

BODY FROM OUT THE

DARKNESS.

Washington, Dec. 27—Springfield,

ILLINOIS BELONGS.

Warner of Topeka, Kas.



Although not pessimistic about the of Doctor of Divinity some years ago, future of the Republican party, both Senator Weeks of Massachusetts and former National Chairman Charles D. was going to be a big job successfully son and one daughter. to reorganize the party. The club has

Expect Communication

In German quarters the view persisted that Germany's reply will be followed by a highly confidential ommunication concerning the terms pon which the central powers are willing to make peace.

not utterly destroyed-by Germany's as the locations for the 12 Federal flat refusal to satisfy President Wil- Farm Loan banks. son's demand for peace terms.

matic seas the outlook for peace was black, but administration officials strained their eyes to discern some kota comprise District No. 7. ray of light in the situation. There

A. F. & A. M. INSTALLATION.

Public installation of the recently rang out in quick succession, the elected officers of Friendship lodge victim simultaneously feeling himself ALLIED TO BANK OF ENGLAND Official information has been re- No. 7, A. F. & A. M., will be held at hit first in the left forearm and an in ceived here that Sweden has address- the Masonic hall Friday evening at stant later in the small of the back. Federal Reserve Board Names it Fied a peace note to the belligerents, 7:30 o'clock, to which all Masons and The wound in his back has proven ser

Players Paired And Handicaps Made In Elks Annual Billiard Tourney

The Elks' annual billiard tourna-Moeller 60-Hoefer 90. should result in some very exciting Fruin 70-Ortt 90. contests as the committee has finish- Kent 80-Messer 100. ed pairing and handicapping the en-Merriman 50-John Vaile 60.

Ed Vaile 70-A. W. Leland 90. C. B. Yonts 70-M. J. Gannon 80. Herbst 60-C. J. Rosbrook 100. Schoenholz 60-E. W. Smith 90. Richards 50-Greeley 100. C. Judd 70-G. Demarest 100, E. Dutcher 100-Evans 100. Jas. Sterling 60-H. Senneff 60. Kelly 80-Shear 90. Clark 80-Jno. Sterling 80. Young 80-C. B. Crawford 80. Crabtree 50-C. Rice 50. Jones 100-B. F. Snyder 70. Campbell 80-Lennon 70. Ford 50-M. Rosbrook 100. Reuland 50-Whitcombe 80.

F. Cahill 90-Jake Snyder 80.

L. Wilhelm 60-Baymon 70.

Chas. Leake 90-Jas. Ballon 50

WEEKS

His last appointment was at Mo-

On the surface of the troubled diplo-

ment, which started Christmas day, Hamilton 80-Blinn Smith 60. tries as follows: Mossholder 80-W. Albright 50

M. Forsythe 70 -Blake Grover 50. Brenner 60-Mark Smith 100. Isadore Eichler 60-B. F. Downing Eatinger 50-C. Albright 70.

Mulkins 100-Hanneken 80. Dement 100-Werren 90. Lee Dysart 90-Grover Wilhelm 70. Russel Leake 70-Roe 90. Collins Dysart 60-A. C. Resek 60. Ed Dysart 100-Gehant 70. Webster Poole 50-E. Reynolds 90. Bunnell 70-Hammarstrom 80 W. Badger 90-Sawyer 80. McCleary 50-Clyde Smith 80, H. Johnson 70-Shoemaker 40. R. L. Johnson 70-John Roberts 100 John Forrest 40-Greig 50. H. N. Rose 80-Gylleck 50. Rosecrans 60-Robinson 100 Chas. Anderson 50-Bales 50 Watson 100-Slothower 90. Law 50-W. B. Brinton 40. O. Bryan 50-L. Bryan 50. C. E. Miller 40-L. W. Newcomer 70 been played at noon today with the cellent satisfaction and was present. Forsythe (70) 70-Grover (50) 48 Thompson 90-Rosenthal 100. Poole (50) 50-E. Reynolds (90) 84 Dr. Smith 80-Russell 50. Dutcher (100) 100-Evans (100) 71 Bovey 80-Lett 50

It is pointed out that the way has both groups of belligerents set forth out of the President's hands at least

MANN REPLIES TO GARDNER

Would Rather Stand by Wilson in of international business.

Peace Move Than Be Speaker. Washington, Dec. 27.—Replying to the attack upon him by Congressman | London, Dec. 26.—The admiralty Augustus P. Gardner, Republican announces that two destroyers were leader, James R. Mann in a formal sunk in a collision in the North Sea America "first, last and all the time," ficers and forty-nine men were and that he would rather be on the side of those who support the President's moves for peace than win the

the house showed him to have sympathetic leanings toward "Prussia nad Prussianism." This Mr. Mann declared to be untrue.

PLEASED BIG HOUSE.

ceived word from Streator, where the play, "Which One Shall I Marry?" appeared last evening and which will appear at the opera house tonight, Five games in the tournament had stating that the production gave exed by a very capable cast.

JOFFRE NOW MARSHAL

(Associated Press) caire today signed the decree creat- Tuezday33

WARNER IS DEAD Interstate Telephone Co. Suffered In

Interstate Telephone Co., were destroyed in a fire which burned the Gilson garage in Sterling to the ground

the Congregational churches in La TRAP AUTO THIEVES; PREPARE TO SEIZE 50

Believed to Have Stolen 3,000 Chicago Cars in 1916.

Chicago, Dec. 27 .- Detectives who have been stalking members of the automobile thieves' syndicate are near their prey and are at work landing and was a prominent, and efficient from twenty-five to fifty of the syndimember of the South Dakota Congre- cate's operators in jail. The gang is automobiles in Chicago during 1916. is said to be a woman who stands high in the counsils of the syndicate.

"The Chicago gang," said Assistant State's Attorney M. F. Sullivan, ing in the neighboring states who as- ster. ST. LOUIS WILL BE HEADQUARcrew for sale here. We have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have information about one lot of eighty automobiles that we have a constant and the con biles that were sent from here to Miland Indianapolis is kept hot by the travel of stolen machines passing Mass.; Baltimore; Louisville; New from one branch to another of the Orleans; St. Paul; Omana; Wichita, syndicate.

side workers, who manage the sales and direct general operations. They

Wisconsin, Minnesota and North Da-

Isadore Alcalnite, a Sterling Mexi- gard as of little significance the dec- Dixon. and murderous assault at at 11:30 Congressman Lenroot of Wisconsin Saturday night when he was shot for speaker should the Republicans twice by an unknown assailant. He organize the next house. They delace street when suddenly two shots sion

nanoial Correspondent.

ious and he is at the Sterling hospi- Washington, Dec. 26.—A tremendous tal in a very precarious condition, alliance between the financial organ-The police have thus far been unable Great Britain was outlined in a stateto discover any clue and Alcalnite ment issued by the federal reserve says he can conceive of no motive for board here. The board has authorized spondents the Bank of England,

izations in the world for the conduct 10 per cent of their wages this year.

Mr. Mann's statement was an an-ponement of the scramble supper to swer to the charge made by Gardner have been enjoyed at the lodge rooms ing held here to select the bishop.

brother Wilbur of Morrison are here church, Evanston.

Wednesday, Dec. 27 1916

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TWO CARS DESTROYED IN FIRE LOCAL EXPRESSMEN

Rev. Charles C. Warner Passed Away Two automobiles, owned by the AMERICAN EXPRESS CO. TO GIVE EXTRA MONTH'S SALARY TO EMPLOYES.

A message was received last even- Saturday night. Conductor James Agent G. A. Ward, Cashier Ross ing by A. C. Warner announcing the Wheat of the Sterling passenger, for- W, Crawford, Clerk Lee Good and death of his brother, Rev. Charles C. merly a Dixon man, also had his car Driver Herman Baughman of the lo-Warner, of Mobridge, South Dakota, stored in the garage, but it was cal American Express Co. force are The deceased was a minister of the saved.

ner of this city, and the other George

Illinois, Missouri and Arkansas are the ones we want."

Will Explain His Endorsement of Wil-

Washington, Dec. 26.—While Con- GUI THEIR LICINSE IN CHICAGO gressman James R. Mann of Illinois, maintained silence concerning the attack by Congressman Gardner of Massachusetts upon his speakership jected the President's proposal that TWO BULLETS FIRED INTO HIS candidacy, close friends of Mr. Mann believe he is preparing a reply which a policy of unliduted "Americanism."

the Mann faction is inclined to re- Mrs. Nancy Wolfe, aged 44, also of

Destroyers Sunk in Collision.

The executive committee of the Respeakership of the next congress. bekah lodge again announces a post-

At Uncle's Home.

visiting at the home of their uncle Managers Rorer and Eastman re- R. W. Thompson.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy and colder tonight and probably Thursday.

TO RECEIVE BONUS

to share in the bonus to be given by the company to all employes who have worked over a year. The melon of \$1,250,000 which the company will split, consists of a month's extra salary to each, payable in installments quarterly after January 1. All who have been with the company less than a year will participate in the scheme as soon as their first year of employment is finished.

IRISH HOME RULE DRAWS NEARER

Equal Representation For All aPrts Is Now Considered.

(Associated Press)

London, Dec. 27-New proposals are being informally considered, providing for something in the nature of equal representation for Unionists It is reported, too, that a number of and Nationalists in an Irish Parliabasis of the suggestions, which do with him on economic questions. It is sioners 's taking steps to crose negoconnections with other thieves work, not contemplate the exclusion of Ul- believed he will eventually be con- tiations.

waukee. The road between Chicago Big Export Sale To Europe Caused Increases Today.

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Dec. 27—Export sales to peace in Europe is badly dashed-but and Berkely, Cal., have been chosen get a handsome sum for their work. Europe during the last 24 hours that but the ones who get rich are the in- amounted to 2,000,000 bushels caused a big jump in the price of wheat. The close today was 2 to 6 % higher. MANN IS PREPARING REPLY that Great Britain is taking strenu- Thomas King, Jr., sixty-six years'old, ous measures to protect shipping.

Republican leader of the house, has John Carlson and Mrs. Nancy Wolfe Secured Permit.

(Special to Telegraph) Chicago, Dec. 27-John Carlson, will explain his indorsement of Presi- aged 49, of Dixon, secured a marrident Wilson's peace note and declare age license here yesterday to wed

STILL IN BED.

Mrs. Philip Woolever, who dislo- and a halting scuffle of sound. were lowered, is still confined to her the porch, back of the roof of which apidly as can be expected.

MINSTREL REHEARSAL. will meet for rehearsal at 7:30 this the flames when the greater part of

STANDARD OIL CO. BONUS.

Local employes of the Standard Oil of the father. Co. of Indiana are rejoicing in the good news that the company has greatest government financial organ. granted all of its workers a bonus of

and G. C. Stewart, Candidates.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Dec. 27. cese of the Protestant Episcopal church, to succeed Bishop Edward F.

Young, Christ church, Woodlawn; Illinois, Miss Eloise Thompson and little Rev. George Craig Stewart, St. Luke's

PLUMS BEING DISTRIBUTED the people of the state.

W. M. DANIELS

I. C. C. Reappointment Held Up In the Senate.

throp M. Daniels of New Jersey to the

TO SAVE FATHER, 93

Two Illinois Pioneers Perish in Flames Near Steger.

Traders are impressed with advices King, ninety-three years old, and father and son, were burned to death at their home near Steger when the tion. son was entrapped and fatally burned

rescue his father from his bed. flue leading from one of the stoves, the Mexican delegates to continue ne-

it is believed. Soon the dried old landmark of occasion for the present "crisis" in Steger was mantled in flames, Resi- affairs. dents of Steger were attracted by the great red sheets of fire glowing out in unusual light in the black of night. They hastened to the scene, but up that matter when it happens."

were unable to get into the house.

They heard only a few gasping moans

cated her kneecap in knocking it of fire showed the entrance of the son was on his way to his home on Walwas on his way to his home on Walsonal, rather than a factional expresagainst a seat while seeking a place to his father's room. The rescue parin the Family theatre when the lights ty frantically placed a ladder up to fruitless discussion of trivialities. bed, although the injury is healing as they could see the old man in his bed which was already becoming a fourposted torch. They were driven back by the heat. The floor crashed down

and the bodies disappeared. The chorus of the Elks' Minstrels | They finally were able to guench claimed by high authorities to be the

the house had been consumed. The position of the two bodies told more plainly than words of the hero- ico. ism of the son and the helplessness

NO INCREASE NOW

(Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 27-House lead-CHICAGOAN MAY BE BISHOP ers predicted that the proposed increase of postage rates for second Three, Revs. L. F. Potter, C. H. Young class matter would never be enacted

U.S. ARMY EQUIPMENT DAMAGED BY STORM

ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES

PERSHING'S COMMAND IN MEXI-CO SERIOUSLY HAMPERED AS RESULT.

'WATCHFUL WAITING" ENDED?

Secretary Lane Tells What Produced Crisis-Carranza Lets Opportunity Slip.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 27-The equipment of Gen. Pershing's command in Mexico was badly damaged by storm on Christmas day and 75 per cent of the tentage in Colonia was destroyed. The field hospital was demolished and many other structures were badly damaged.

Admit Occupation.

El Paso, Dec. 27-The Carranza consul here confirms the report of the occupation of Torreon by the Villa

To Close Negotiations.

Washington, Dec. 27-In the ab-Delay in confirming the reappoint- sence of any reply from Carranza ratment by President Wilson of Win- ifying or rejecting the protocol which ment, says the Manchester Guardian. interstate commerce board is due to was signed at Atlantic City, Chair-Home rule for all of Ireland is the several western senators who differ man Lane of the American commis-

> Washington, Dec. 27 .- Hope is practically abandoned in Washington that any working agreement can now be reached between the American and Mexican commissioners who for the past three months have been dickering and debating at New London, Atlantic City and Philadelphia with a view to settling finally upon a basis or diplomatic and international relationship whereby peace can be assured in both republic and the integrity of the American-Mexican border permanently preserved and safeguarded. First Chief Carranza's failure to promptly accept the protocol arranged by the American-Mexican commission is responsible for the present situa-

U. S. Patience Is Exhausted. In diplomatic language the sign ture of Carranza to the protocol as In their large frame house on a originally drafted has now been desmall farm on the "old south trail" manded by the United States. The pathe two aged men were sleeping alone | tience of the administration is admitwhen the fire crept through a faulty tedly exhausted. The disposition of

> "We have no plans contingent upon Carranza's refusal to sign," said Mr. Lane, "If he does refuse we will take

gotiations over details is the principal

Lane Explains Crisis. Just how this present so-called crisis has arisen was explained by Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane when he read a report that the American government was tired of the Secretary Lane is chairman of the American group of the joint commission. His frank statement splits the fog which for months has obscured the true state of Americau-Mexican relations. It is accepted in Washington as marking the end of the era of "watchful waiting" which has been

American policy with regard to Mex-

Carranza Refuses to Sign. A week ago the Mexican commissioners were informed that the substitute protocol offered by Carrauza as a basis for agreement was unacceptable to the American government. The protocol which all six of the international commission had signed and which Senor Alberto J. Pani conveyed to Mexico for Mr. Carranza's review was held by the Americans to be the only

basis for final acreement

Three Chicago ministers are candled Most People Are Criminally Careless In Approaching Railroad Crossings

Chicago, Dec. 27-It would cost a Illinois alone 17,100 grade crossings. The three Chicago ministers are Rev. half billion dollars at least to elimin- The Railroad Commission of Califor-Leslie Fenton Potter, rector of St ate all the grade crossings of high- nia has found that to eliminate all of

ly or indirectly out of the pockets of \$30,000 per crossing."

A state law provides that a certain be greater than in California, because Harry Freeman, Vermilion County, to part of the cost, to be fixed by the the railroads of this state go through Be Chief Clerk to State Auditor. Public Utilities commission, must be more cities and towns, and have SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Dec. 27. paid by the state, county, township more double or extra tracks, Harry Freeman, now probate clerk or municipality, according to circum- The railroads of Illinois already of Vermillon county, is to be chief stances; this means by direct taxa- have spent over \$100,000,000 for

Henry C. Luehrs of Kankakee will The remainder of the half billion for watchmen, gates, alarms and remain as assistant state treasurer; dollars would have to be paid by the signs at crossings. In spite of all this Ralph Fairbairn of Chicago is to be public in freight and passenger rates the last report of the Illinois Public

This estimate of the total cost is

Simon's church; Rev. Charles Herbert ways and railways in the state of the grade crossings in that state "would cost, at a very conservative All this money would come direct- estimate, an average of not less than

The average cost in Illinois would

clerk in the office of Andrew Russel, tion of property owners. track elevation and also a big sum 15 chief bank examiner in Chicago, and the only source of railway reven- Utilities commission shows that in 1915 there were 95 people killed at

based on the fact that there are in (Continued on page 5, Col. 4)

TO THE HUMINATURE PRESERVENTIL

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PRINCESS THEATRE

Tonight the Princess will present lent ease apparently without working mingly without care. They eir easy money by preying upgullibility of rich young men seeking adventure. There are various ways of accomplishing their ends, but gambling offers the surest and most profitable means of mulcting the victim. In the Mutual Masterpiece de tuxe edition "The Decoy" a five act so ciety drama, from the pen of Herbert Hall Winslow, the well known author, the methods employed by these adventurers is vividly depicted.

OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT.

"Which One Shall I Marry?" will be the attraction at the Opera House tonight. The play is full of heart throbs, screamingly funny comedy, and a strong moral lesson runs thru To Be Held Secret Until Entente

The play is by no means a farce, and has a serious lesson underlying morous lower middle Irish working the neutral nations whose services class, and some of the situations into she asked in forwarding peace sugwhich they are led are screamingly gestions to her enemies a sealed pack funny. But the main suject, that of a et containing the specific terms upon good honest every day Irish Ameri- which she was willing to make peace, can girl, with the difficult choice put here. before her of a marriage which is of- The report had it that this packet fered by her rich employer, and also was sent with instructions that it was up the sympathies of the human case of the note submitted to Pope heart, also develop their share of the father to read this

The company is under the manage ment of Ed W. Rowland, the prominent producer, and Lorin J. Howard, one of the cleverest of the younger production is promised, and the commany notable productions.

Chicago engagement, this city will American Union certificates during ing the Amboy factory, recently. have the pleasure of seeing this or- that period. ganization intacts

In "Go To It" no two costumes resemble each other. Each gifl C C Faber to Wm C Faber qcd \$1 wears a model gown, especially de pt neq 15 Wyoming. signed for her particular style, color and personality.

er of the new musical comedy, 66 Dixon, is also the producer of its companion piece "Very Good Edd-

roster includes Cross and Josephine, Percival Knight, Gertrude Vander bilt, Charles Udels, Tyler Brooke, Beth Franklyn, Veva Houghton, Helen Bond George A. Beane, Dan Marble, Helen Frances, Gertruce Martha Dean, Hilda Smith, Ethel Russell, Ethel Wayne, Norma That's my only argumen

GARRICK-CHICAGO

"Katinka" the sparkling and refreshing musical comedy hit is playing many fascinating airs but is replete with novelties. Mr. Arthur Hammerstein, the producer, has been overgenerous in the staging of this production. A company of seventy which includes T. Roy Barnes, the featured member of the cast; Ada Meade, Aud rey Maple, Rence Noel, David Roese, A. Robins, Bernard Phillips, May Janese, Walter Manthey, Bourke Sullivan, F. Stanton Heck, Mareyella Beaudreau, Albert Sackett and Gust Schlitz and a singing and dancing chorus of beauties completes the cast. Matinees are giveg on Wednesday and Saturday.

Guests at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mossholder had as their guests at Christmas din ner, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Mosshold er of Eldena, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kelly, of Woosung, Miss Sylvia Kel ly, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Torgeson

Y. M. C. A. BOWLING)

Y. M. C. A. tourney defeated Gonnerman's team in their contest last even

Gonnerman 119	100	1.12.05	2.40
Laing135			-396
Ahrens 143	(143	143-	-429
Cledon143	135	117-	-395
Eichenberg111			
Totals708	680	661	
Chapm			
Chapman 170	128	159-	-457
Poole161	143		-451
Wadsworth187		143-	-457
Buchner170		128-	-442
Barron 155	155	155	-465
Total843	697	732	2272

KAISER'S TERMS IN SEALED NOTE, REPORT

Asks for Them.

Rome, Dec. 27.—Germany handed to according to a report in circulation

proffers, actually requested terms. Otherwise, it was to be returned un-

The same report declared in the Benedict, Germany permitted the holy cessions and derran

INSTRANCE CHANGE

stage directors. A magnificent scenic erican Union, a Chicago fraternal, of 25 cent seats in American league has been absorbed by the Fraternal parks. The National league, at its pany includes Miss Gertrude Ritchie Aid Union of Lawrence, Kas., which recent New York meeting, voted to as "The Girl," who has appeared in reinsured all its business. The North cut down the number of bleacher American Union had reinsured a num seats in certain cities. ber of other fraternals within the last few years, taking over the Knights "We will cut down expenses before and Ladies of Honor recently. The even considering an advance in prices The Princess Theatre in Chicago combined membership will be \$120, or limiting the number of the cheap has been too small to hold the 000, with insurance in force of \$140, seats," said President oJhnson. crowds that have clamored to see 000,000. The Kansas insurance department stipulates musical comedy production, "Go expense of the merger and of the To It", so they have moved it over handling of the business of the North to the more commodious Chicago American Union for the next twenty-Theatre, where it will continue its two months must be kept within the vember. Immediately following its expense fund collections on North Dinge Pickle Company was Inspect

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

F. Ray Comstock, the co-produc wd \$1050 pt lot 13, lots 1 and 4 blk lette spent Christmas at the Virgil

Abandonment of clubhouses for use Burns of visiting players may be decided ruary. Such a rule was suggested at the recent meeting in Indiana- days. polis, but objections by Roger Bres

what they say is lack of the old time ter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rambo, been reduced. aggressive spirit. Publicity gained Christmas Day. by the players riding through busi ness streets in uniform is an advant holidays at his home in this city. ed as having said he preferred wa. ers to dress in the clubhouses.

being conducted by Athletic Directithe J. E. Lynch home O'Donnell, of Purdue University. a few days with her parents, Mr. Part of the system of ferreting our and Mrs. John Boyce tary drills, to escape one hour's home Saturday. much gymnasium work. In the gym the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. nasium the coaches plan to get a Simpson of Egan, Ill., the past two line on the men. As part of the gen weeks, returned to this city Satur eral program of athletics it has day. been announced that every fresh man will be taught to swim before family spent Saturday in Dixon

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 27- home for the holiday vacation. Emil (Hap) Huhn, of this city, a League club, is at a local hospita: recovering from an operation in one | County Superintendent L. W. Milhim in his playing last season.

Chicago: President B. B. oJhnson the State Teachers' association. of the American league, is oposed to Chicago, Dec. 27—The North Am- making any reduction in the number

Henry Makeben of the Squire Miss Geneva Koester spent

Christmas in Sublette. Miss Mary Foley of Chicago is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Foley, for the holi-

W J Worsley to Wm D Anderson Mr. and Mrs. Gagstetter of Sub home, north of town.

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Thomas, Arthur Whitman, Arthur
Clarke, Charles Yorkshire, Sadie
Collins, Frances Ramey, Caroline
Diehl, Wilbur Stutz and many our Send me your name and address on the conpon below and get the trial treatment I want to send you FREE. The wonders accomplished in your own case will be proof.

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Mr. and Mrs. Burt Hewitt went to Dixon Sunday for a few days' John G. Gregoula, a car'repairer

upon by the American Association two grand-children, Miss Mary Room ger. He was married and leaves a

ey of DeKalb Normal, and Frank family. Rooney of Chicago, during the holi

nie Jamison, the past week.

Leo Lynch of Chicago spent the Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Berry spent

present system of allowing the play Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shea of Aur aro was at the A. J. Barlow home, during the holidays.

Lafayette, Ind. Dec. 27-A still Mr. and Mrs. Earl Leavens and unt for 1917 football material is children of LaSalle were guests at

tor Oliver F. Cutts and Coach Cleo | Miss Susan Boyce of Aurora spent

new players is to allow each fresh Glenn Vaughn of Chicago and man, all of whom must take mill- Fred of the Illinois University came

drill each week by substituting that Mrs. D. J. Craig, who was a

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hegert and Raymond Smith and Charles Brady of the Illinois University are

ATTEND MEETING

of his ears. The trouble bothered ler and Supt. H. H. Hagen of the North Dixon schools went to Springfield today to attend the meeting of

CAR REPARTERS KIDNED

for the Northwestern, was instantly Misses Margaret and Elizabeth killed Sunday night when he stepped Burns and brother Edward of Chr in front of Northwestern passenger cago, Miss Mary of DeKalb, came train No. 18, east bound, as it was home Saturday to spend Christmas thundering through DeKalb. A passing west bound freight diverted his Mrs. Kate Kehoe entertained her attention from the oncoming passen-

BROKE HER ARM.

William Jamison of Sterling was Mrs. John Nicholson of Sterling, nahan, of Toledo, caused a delay in the guest of his mother, Mrs. Jen who came to Dixon yesterday after-Miss Mary Crosson spent Christ noon to visit friends, slipped on the house is said to be the opportunities mas in Freeport at the home of her icy walk near the Hoffman hardware Mr. and Mrs. V. J. O'Gorick of fracture of the left arm. She re-Mendota, was at the home of the lat turned home after the fracture had

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Stop?

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cannot be stopped in

much less than a

An automobile run-

ning 25 miles an hour

can be stopped in 50

A horse or team can

A pedestrian can

stop almost instantly.

be stopped quickly.

quarter of a mile.

The latest report of the State Public Utilities Commission shows 95 persons lost their lives and 241 were seriously injured in accidents at highway crossings of Illinois railroads, in 1915. The Commission cays:

"The transition from team to automobile traffic in the last few years has been remarkable.*** Automobile drivers will not approach a railroad crossing in the same careful manner as will the driver of a team."

Why Do Accidents Occur at Highway Crossings?

It is not the mere existence of grade crossings that

makes them dangerous. It is the way people use them. Human nature is the same in all the states. Here is what the California Railway Commission reports on actual observations of 17,000 motor vehicle drivers at railway crossings:

69.5 per cent looked neither way before crossing the tracks.

2.7 per cent looked in only one direction.

27.8 per cent looked both ways.

This is what the Commission learned as to 4,900 drivers of teams and 6,300 pedestrians, at railway crossings:

Team Drivers Pedestrians Looked neither way Looked one way only -15.0 Looked both ways 35.9 100. %

Some Facts About Grade Crossings

To eliminate the 17,100 grade crossings in Illinois would cost an average of at least \$30,000 a crossing, or a total exceeding \$500,000,000—a half-billion dollars!

Under the laws of Illinois, part of this enormous sum would have to be paid in direct taxation, by the public.

The remainder would have to be paid by the public in freight and passenger rates. For a railroad is not a mint-it does not coin money. Every penny it pays out must first be paid by the public.

The railroads already have expended over

\$100,000,000 for track elevation in this State, but, because of the great cost of this work, it is plain that thousands of grade crossings must remain for years to come.

Public Co-Operation Is Necessary

The railroads are doing their part to prevent accidents at highway crossings. They have spent and will spend immense sums for track elevation, watchmen, crossing gates, alarms and in "safety first" campaigns of education.

But accidents of that kind will continue to occur unless the public, too, does its share toward preventing them.

Why should anyone risk life and limb of self and others, rather than take the time at every railroad crossing, to Stop, Look Both Ways and Listen?

ILLINOIS RAILROAD COMMITTEE.

Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

Wednesday

Tea Club, Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook. Inter Nos Circle, Mrs. Louis Ley

Thursday

Thursday Reading Circle, Mrs.

Lydia Parks. W. C. O. F. Meeting, K. C.

Hall. Dorcas Society, Congregational

Church. Saturday

From Sacramento

Fred Troup of Sacramento, Cal. engineer on the Southern Pacific railroad, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Troup of 918 Palmyra Avenue. Mr. Troup will visit in the East in both New York and Washington, D. C., before re turning to California. It has been five years since Mr. Troup was home last and his many friends are very glad to see him.

Christmas Dinner Guests Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Birch of Ke

wanee, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Har ry May and son Eugene were Christ mas dinner guests at the home or Mr. and Mrs. S. Boyer.

Guests on Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Orville July enter tained at dinner Christmas, Mrs. Henry July and two daughters, Evelyn and Ruth, of Sublette, Ill., and Mrs. Charles Boucher.

Entertain Many

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Petit entertained the following guests Christ mas Day: Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Bar ard and two sons, Leo and Edward; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Petit and two children; Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett; Mrs. Eloise Petit; Miss Hazel Green; Mr. Charles Green, all or Dixon; and Mr. Wilber Herman or Rochelle.

Returned from Wisconsin

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Goodsell have returned home from a Christmas visit with Mrs. Goodsell's intendent of the township high mother, Mrs. Ames, of Clinton, school at Cabery, his home town,



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Gave Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Justis Schweinberg entertained at dinner Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bohlken and Mrs. Addie Bardell of Harmon, Mrs. Laf-a. Lot Club, Miss Myra John Dennis Callahan and daughter of Hahnemann, Miss Catherine Leany of Deer Grove and Mr. and Mrs. John Harsham and daughter of Ster

Guests at Dinner

Mrs. C. F. Woodburn and daugh ters of Dixon Ave. entertained Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Jennings and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevens of Ashton | ner. and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Webster and daughter, Miss Zetta, at dinner Christmas Day.

With Mrs. Hauser

Mr. and Mrs. Fleming and daugh ter of Chicago, are guests of Mrs. Hauser of Van Epps Park

At Dinner

Miss Bess Camp entertained Miss Anne Eustace of Sycamore and Miss Brinton at dinner last evening.

At Christmas Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lightner et tertained at a Christmas dinner, Mr and Mrs. Harry Freed and family, George Lightner and son Albert Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Lightner and family, Mrs. Albert Fulmer and son Robert, Mrs. Floyd Egler and son Donald, James and Mary Tumey Ben Lauver, and Lionel Cable of Dixon, Ernest Smucker of Sterling, and Le Roy Lightner of LaSalle ____

Family Reunion

The family of the Rev. and Mrs J. Williams of North Dixon, are having a reunion during the Christ mas holidays. Their daughter, Mrs E. C. Klontz, and Mr. Klontz are home from Cabery, Ill., and Milton Williams is home from the Univer sity of Illinois. As Milton Williams is the winner of the Rhodes scholar ship and expects to go to England in the fall of 1917, it will be seven al years, in all probability before che entire family can be together again. Mr. Klontz, who is well known in Dixon, is super

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry and mas dinner guests at the Adam Johnson home at Lighthouse.

Tree at Light House

A Christmas tree and very de lightful entertainment was given at Lighthouse Saturday evening.

Henry-Spratt

Mr. Clinton Henry and Miss Ma bel Spratt, both of Lighthouse, were married at Lighthouse at the bride's home. December 26 and left that evening to spend some time at the groom's mother, in Ohio. They will make their new home on the Adam Cliffe farm, north of Franklin Grove, Ill. The best wishes of their many friends is extended them

Thursday Reading Circle

The Thursday Reading Circle will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Lydia Parks. The program will be in charge of Mrs. Charles Mumma and the musical numbers will be by Mrs. Lee Read and Miss Mary Hintz.

To Rock Island

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leh and son of Rock Island have returned t their home after an over Christma visit at the home of Mrs. Leh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hutton

End Christmas Visit

Mr. and Mrs. William Kane an dauhters Edna and Kathryn of Chi man cago, who were Christmas Da guests at the Michael Hogan home, have returned to Chicago.

At R. Cramer Home

Mr. and Mrs. William Crame and daughter Helen were Christma dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cramer.

Spent Christmas Here Dr. E. O. Dahl returned to Chi

cago after spending Christmas a McCoy of this city.

Christmas in Sterling

Mrs. O'Donnell and daughter La Salle. Miss Margaret, were Christmas Day guests at the home of Edward E. O'Donnell of Sterling.

In Davenport

ney spent Christmas in Dayenport sic, the program of which will be business meeting the election of ofwith their son and brother, Ross given later. Mrs. Boss Pitcher Ta ficers will be held and it is urged

At Christmas Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. M. Murphy of S. ner Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith and daughter Blanche

From Michigan

Returned to Kansas

daughter, Mrs. Gaul, and his son,

Mr. Osborne, who visited uts

Nachusa Avenue eptentained at din Mrs. Cordon Cropsey entertained ciety held a most enthusiastic gath at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Pot ering at the home of Mrs. Abner Cropsey, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barlow Friday afternoon, the weath Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howe er doing naught, though it well and daughter Louise, Mr. Ed Wit- might, to cool the arder of this fatta Harold McIntyre of Grand Haven, son, all of Dixon; Mr. Al. Cropsey ful band of ladies. Home Mission Michigan, spent Christmas with his of Rockford, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed work was under discussion and Mrs. parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mcln Presby of Forreston for supper. Staples told of her visits to loggins The latter is a daughter of Mr. Hen camps in the Adirondacks, Mrs

St. Paul's Choir

St. Paul's choir will meet Thurs of the life of the western miners. Clarence Osborne, over Christmas, day evening at 7:30 for a rehearsar Each talk was fraught with espec has erturned to his home in of the music for New Year's Eve.

Entertained in Sterling Mrs. George Lenox and Miss Min from Kewanee, Ill., where she spent and son of Paw Paw are the guests erva Lenox spent Christmas in Ster Christmas with her parents. ling, the guests of Mrs. H. C. Cas sell at luncheon and of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lenox at six o'clock din

Christmas Party

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benson en tertained Christmas Day a large group of children, and the day was one of unceasing delight to the Itt tle ones. Delightful features,-the beautiful Christmas tree with its gifts, music, and other attractions for their diversion-succeeded one another throughout the happy after noon. The guests included: Harold May, Gilma Moren, Bernard Norton, Irene Reynolds, Rudple Boyer, George Leham, Raymond Kimes Freddie Buileb, Myron Willey, Os car Boyer, Marcus Weaver, Edith Reynolds, Helen Witzleb, Verna Rush, Laron Ebele, Opal Mossholcer. Gladys Mossholder, Gladys Derr Helen Steacy, Erma Willey, Edna Mossholder, Hazel Cortright, Glen Cortright, Gerald Kimes, Daisy Wirth, Viola Kimes, Hazel Witzleb, Avis Derr, Beulah Steacy, Kenneth Mossholder, Catherine Weaver, Lilli an Carlson, Florence Norton, Marie Revnolds.

From Wedding Trip

Mr. and Mrs. William Eller, nee Miss Carolyn Asher of Dixon, have returned from their honeymoon trip to Chicago and will reside in Ster-

Boys and Girls' Conference

Tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. the meetings of the older boys and girts of the Sunday schools of Lee County the girls at the First Presbyteri in church. The programs, which the public are invited to hear, will be given as printed below:

Girl's Conterence 0:30-Registration.

10:45-Music and Devotional Ser vice. Appointment of nominating committee. Address of Welcome and response. Paper, "The Organized Class. Paper, "The Organized Class and Helping Others." Vocas Duet. Paper, "The Sunday Morning Service." Adjournment.

1:30 p. m .- Music by Dixon Ur ion High School Girl's Glee Club. Paper, "Interesting Outsiders. Music. Paper, "Girls and Missions. Music, Instrumental Solo. Address. Mrs. Elizabeth Petter of Stockton. Closing Service.

Girls' Session. 5:00 p. m.-Joint social hour in

Presbyterian church. 6:15-Banquet at

Boys' Conference at Y. M. C. A 10:30 a. m.-Registration.

11:00-Song Service and Devo 11:15-Address of Welcome

Secy. Derkinderin.

11:20-Response. 11:25-Address; Mr. Burr Black burn. Appointment of Nominating

Afternoon Session 1:30-Song Service and Devotion Organized 1:45—Paper—The

Class; Percy Bushy. 2:15-Paper- "What Christian Young Men Mean to a Community. 2:40-Address; Mr. Burr Black

3:15-Delegation Conference by he Churches. 4:00-Joint Session at Presbyter

ian Church. A splendid debate will e of great interest. This will be followed by a social

. 6:00-Banquet at Methodist

With Dixon Relatives Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henning

and Mr., and Mrs. Edward Runrt the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter of Sheffield, Ill., spent Christmas with relatives in Dixon. Mr. and Mrs. Runft returned to their home yesterday by way of Chicago and

At St. Paul's

On New Year's Eve St. Paul's choir, under the direction of its able chorister, Mrs. E. M. Goodsell, Rev. John Dornhoefer will have Mrs. Carney and Miss Ruth Car will render a program of special mu charge of the bible study. At the bor will sing at the morning service. that all members attend.

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Visited in Kewanee Miss Margaret Quinn has returned

Concert at Sublette

The Cruse Concert Company, a group of young artists, will give a concert for the benefit of the Sublette Union church at the church on January 2d, at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Cruse, at the head of the company, is a violinist of fine technique and tained a few of her little frience feeling. Mrs. Stafford, a pianist of this afternoon, the occasion her great ability, also appears on the birthday." program, and will be accompanist to Miss Florence Hoffman, who is an advanced vocal pupil of Mrs. E. M. Goodsell of this city. Miss Hoff man is also an artist in plane work. a post graduate from Strong's Col lege of Music, The reader, Miss Fred Winders, Clarinda Hall, is a graduate from the Northwestern School of Oratory. and is very proficient and entertain ing. The program follows:

gleman); Mrs. Charles Stafford.

(b) My Heart's Desire, (Clark): tion of officers, which will be held (c) The Roses of Firgiveness (Guy Violin-Nocturne

Howard Cruse. Reading-Pro Patria (Anony- made for sewing at G. A. R. mous): Clarinda Hall.

a Lyre of Gold (B. Whelpley); (b) 5th Love's Awakening (J. Douglas); Florence Hoffman. Reading-"The Heart of Eric'

(Elmore Elliott Peake); Clarinda

ski); Florence Hoffman. Violin-Zephyr, Op. 30, No. (Jeno Hubay); Howard Cruse.

Shadow (R. W. Child); Clarinda office. Piano-Le Reveil Du Lion Ca- FOR RENT. Modern 6 room house on

price Heroigue, Op. 115 (Antne de North Side, Rent \$20. Telephone Kontski); Florence Hoffman. Violin-Scene De Ballet (C. De

Beriot); Howard Cruse.

Stag Dinner John Batchelder entertained the Garage. following young men last evening every particular. The guests including, at 1028 W. Third St. Phone ed Harold Espy, Glen Rynearson, K1147, Ben T. Shaw, Floyd Chapman, Mark Smith, Harold Drew, Vernon Tennant, Harry Seekman, Douglas Friedline, and Joseph Eichler.

Cartsen Harms

The wedding of William J. Carl sen of Palmyra township and Miss 4:00 p. m.-Joint Boys' and Jessie G. Harms of this city took place this morning at 10 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 204 Lincoln Way. The pastor of St Paul's Lutheran church, Dr. F. D. church in basement. Talks and Altman, read the service, using the ring ceremony, before the members of both families. The bride was mar ried in her traveling suft, a brown broadcloth. There were no attend-

> The guests included Mr. Carlsen' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlsen, Mr. Carlsen's sister, Miss Carl sen, and Herbert Harms, the bride's

> The Harms home was very attract tive in decorations of the holiday season and roses and carnations in pink and white, arranged in the loorway of the living room, made a beautiful setting for the wedding ceremonial

Mr. and Mrs. Carlsen left on the 11:24 train for Chicago, where they will visit for some time. Mrs. Carl coming brown hat. Upon their re turn they will be at home upon Mr. Carlsen's farm in Palmyra

Mrs. Carlsen is the attractiv daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W Harms and has been for a number of years the efficient cashier at the Eichler Bros.' store. Her sincerity friendship of all in her coterie of acquaintances, and their best wishes are hers for unfailing happiness man and he, too, has many friends here, who extend congratulations.

The Dorcas Society of the Congre gational church will meet on Thurs day at 2:30 p. m. at the church

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hendrix and The Presbyterian Missionary Se Will Thomson of the work of miscamps, and Mrs. I. B. Hitchcock

From Paw Paw

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards of Dixon relatives.

Guest from Paw Paw Miss Atta Beach of Paw Paw is

guest of Miss Gertrude Reid.

For Birthday Miss Clara Gwen Bardwell enter-

Christmas in Maywood

where they were over Christmas

guests at the home of their son,

W. R. C. Plan Installation The Woman's Relief Corps held Piano Solo-Valse Caprice (En- its regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at G. A. R. half and made ar Vocal-(a) The Star (Rogers); rangements for the public installa the evening of Tuesday, January 9 at G. A. R. hall. Plans were atso hall by the ladies of the W. R. R. Vocal-(a) The Nightingale Has on the afternoon of Friday, January

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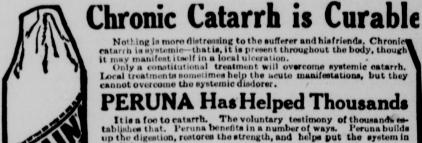
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blackened and discolored it .was, On the walls of the Dixon hospitar when someone suggested that it be



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INDUSTRIAL DANGER.

P. C. Williams, our commercial attache at London, has returned fully convinced that the protective tariff will be revived by Great Britain at the close of the war. He says: "Public opinion in England has almost entirely erystallized as to a protective tariff being necessary after the war," and he sees as a result of the adoption by Great Britain of this policy the opening by many American industrial concerns of branch factories in Great Brit-

Mr. Williams has excellent reason for his prophecy. The British Board of Trade has for a year and a half been spreading the protective tariff propaganua with the same vigor which in 1846, and the years following, chraacterized the activities of the Cobden free traders. In those days England had no equal as a manufacturing nation at low production cost and her aim was to establish for herself free markets throughout the world. But the indus trial development of Germany under the tariff policy inaugurated by Bismarck in 1879 has given Great Britain cause to ponder and today even the British labor unions appreciate the value of a tariff policy which will protect them from the still lower wage scale of Germany. This was testified to about two months ago when a vote on the subject, held by the unions, received an A Strong Dramatic Scene in "Which One Shall I Marry?" at the Dixon overwhelming majority in favor of a return to protection.

With Great Britain operating under a protective tariff policy the circle in Europe will be complete. The close of the war will find all the European countries operating under what may be termed specialized protection, that is, by the application of such import restrictions as will best conserve to each its principal industries-steel manufactures, tin, leather goods, and textiles in Great Britain, for example; similar commodities and chemicals in Germany; silks, wines, laces, etc., in France; in Belgium and Austria-Hungary, glassware, toys, etc.

The general adoption of such a policy in Europe can not but be detri- Kent. mental to a non-protective industrial America. There are, perhaps, no basic industries to be found anywhere in Europe that are to be found here. Our industrial field is all-embracing, and while along certain lines we may not yet and Mrs. O. H. Brown have reached the high degree of efficiency which has been attained by some European competitor in a particular industry, we have been improving our Jewel Tea Co., was here to spend break up a severe cold either in the years ago, on Oct. 11th, was a great efficiency under the protective policy. The argument presented by some that protection has retarded our efficiency is not true in a general sense. The tendency of our people is to buy the best goods, wherever procurable, and American manufacturers have striven, and are striving, to supply them. But if Sauer spent Sunday with friends in sick headache, dullness, feverishness, Nov. 27, 1846, where he lived until our manufacturers are to be held to the scale of wages now paid our laborers their efficiency must certainly be destroyed by reason of the influx of Eu his father in Dixon. ropean products into this country at rates of duty designed solely for the -Experienced fireman would like purpose of raising revenue, the labor cost of these products being from one- a few furnaces to care for during the half to one-third the cost of similar commodities fabricated here. That is winter. A. C. Lease, 6th St. 301 6

The prospect is a challenge to all. Even President Wilson shows signs and Mrs. H. L. Fulmer, of receding from the life-long stand for free trade, as was evidenced by his Ben T. Shaw of Chicago is a guest address at Cincinnati. At the convention of the Agricultural College Presi- of his mother, Mrs. Eustace Shaw, this morning after spending the protective tariff which would preserve the wage and the number of our laborning class, the farmer's best customers, was eloquently presented. We must return to the policy of protection, whatever the party in power. It is morning after spending Christmas land where they spent Christmas Dunn farm and which has been their that or industrial dissolution.

LIKE LOWDEN'S PROGRAM,

The Chicago Tribune and the Chicago Herald both publish editorials commending Governor-elect Lowden for the program he announces. The Herald says:

Governor-elect Frank O. Lowden's announced plan to cut down by 50 to home in Elgin after a short visit in visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. 70 per cent the executive departments ought to be an augury of real success this city with friends and rela- F. Cummnis. for his administration.

Already he has succeeded in clarifying his great issue. He goes into office pledged to consolidate the 105 overlapping, wasteful and essentially in- Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Street were in the Dement home, efficient state departments, bureaus and commissions into a reasonable num Sterling Christmas day, ber of departments. His last declaration in favor of reducing the number of Arthur Stockle yof Sterling was officeholders shows with what sincerity he is approaching his great task. It here to attend the Shoemakers' Pleas of the usual happy dancing parties at nesday at 2:30 p. m., Rev. H. Hugh also ought to indicate his freedom from machine ideas. For in such circles ure club dance held on Christmas the town hall at Gap Grove tomorrow the suggestion that jobs be made fewer is highest treason.

The obvious advantage to the state of Colonel Lowden's policy is great. Prof. John A. Fairlie of the University of Illinois estimated in his report to ing Christmas day at the home of A. Dixon were hosts at a bountiful dinthe efficiency and economy committee that at least \$1,000,000 annually may S. Dimick. be saved by a reasonable consolidation of offices. Prof. Fairlie expressed the George Welty of Marion was here bered 16, and included Mr. and Mrs. mind follow-with two or three changes-the recommendations of the efficient methods in the reorganized state government.

The general departments which the new governor has tentatively in Dixon. mind to follow-with two or three changes-the recommendations of the ef- Arthur Stockley of Sterling was family, Mrs. Miserva Phillips and Mr. ficiency and economy committee. In each case ten departments will concen- from LaSalle, Mrs. Fletcher remained Shaver's brother, And such a dinner trate the activities of more than 100 separate branches of administration. for a longer visit, The governor will be given a large measure of control over all the departments. Responsibility, so far as possible under the constitution, will belong from Chicago where they spent sweet and mashed Irish potatoes, cab to the chief executive.

The actual enactment of these fundamental changes will be difficult. brother, Mr. Walgren. Col. Lowden is therefore entitled to generous support. His wish to reduce the appointments allotted to him witnesses the genuineness of his interest. tin. The energy he has shown in drafting a bill embodying the consolidation promised indicates executive talent. The time is ripe for progress in Illinois. The friends of economy and efficiency should give the needed assistance to the coming administration.

BE A GOOD FELLOW ALL YEAR.

Just because Christmas is over you need not feel that you have to quit being a Good Fellow. The Good Fellow season is never closed so long as there is a member of the community in want and deserving of assistance.

For poor folks, the hardest part of the winter is yet to come. Clothing that the Good Fellows provided for the poor will, in many cases, be adequate, but the food and the coal will be consumed rapidly. Many of the families that were helped will be in need again immediately, and if you know o such a family in town, why not take it upon yourself to visit that home once in a while and see how they are getting along? You can help a great deal without much expense, and you can make yourself bigger and better and get or laryngitis. SCOTT'S more enjoyment out of life if you hold out a helping hand to your less for- is worth insisting upon. tunate brothers and sisters.



in Brief

Dancing School at Socialist Hall, Mondays, 8:30 p. m. Miss Marcelle

Ed Berry spent Christmas with

with their parents in this city. George Schorr went to Chicago to- box.

John Schultz of Sterling was here

cago Tuesday morning after spend- Mr. and Mrs .Ray Shaver of South

with his mother, Mrs. Stephan Aus

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quickest, surest relief known and old he came with acts without assistance, tastes nice, Dixon to Wasec accept a substitute.

returned to their home in Beloit this ed Tuesday morning from Rock Is of the Corners, now known as the with their son Leonard B. Neigh- home ever since.

urned to Chicago after a Christmas

Richard Dement spent Christmas with his parents, Mrs. Charles Reyholds and baby were also guests at

The Community club will hold one

Herman Missman, Mr. and Mrs. Ar-Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brechon and thur Missman and family, Mr. and daughter were here today from South Mrs. Oscar Missman and family, Mr. and son Paul returned last evening goose, dressing, escalloped oysters, Christmas with Mrs. Newcomer's bage and fruit salads and all the ac-Ewalt Austin spent Christmas that go with a Christmas feast, were

With Mass Zopf. Miss Amy Puterbaugh accompan-

ed her brother, Fred, of the F. X. day of Miss Cora Zopf. Miss Puter- Pawpaw, Ill. baugh, who is student at the Chicago Collegeof Music, went on to Chicago

Illini dance to be given at the Arbranes and makes richer blood the University of Illinois orange to repair the affected tissues and blue, will be used in the decora festive the house while bride's roses to help prevent tonsilitis tions, and the music will be furnish were used upon the table. Among pieces. The concert opens at 8:30 Dorothy Hall, and Gerald Hall of Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 18-18 with dancing at nine.

OBITUARY :

WALTER DUNN.

An Elgin, Minn., paper has the folew days. He had attended the Stock how at Chicago last week and came from there with a bad cold, but did not consider it serious until a day or two later when he was compelled to ake to his bed, and he grew worse Mr. Dunn had been identified with

ffairs of this community for more member of the Woodman lodge of Vi ola and for a number of year was Con ul of the order, its highest office. He ad also been an active member of the local Masonic order for a number First dose of Pape's Colds Compound of years. Mr. Dunn has always been prominent in township affairs, having held the office of town supervisor for several years and has been an acof "Pape's Cold Compound" taken a loving husband and father, who very two hours until three doses are took great pleasure in home life. The

and causes no inconvenience. Don't later Mr Dunn came to Elgin to live

Five daughters and a son survive: day to consult his surgeon regarding | E. Susman is in St. Louis making a They are Mrs. J. D. Siem and Mrs. election of spring merchandise for Clyde Richardson, Elgin; Mrs. C. W Woodruff, Chatfield; Mrs. Henry Schroeder, Viola; Mrs. Carl Hough

ton and George Dunn of Elgin. The death of both mother and fath er coming within so short a time thus breaking up the home completely, is indeed sad and the sympathy of the whole community goes out to the bereaved family in their grief at the great loss.

The funeral services were held at the M. E. church in this village Wed-Gower of Slayton and Rev. H. E. Da sonic fraternity conducted the funer al from the church.

NO PRAYER SERVICE

There will be no prayer meeting at the First Presbyterian church this evening because of the slippery side-

Mandolin Club Masquerade.

The Dixon Mandolin club will give masquerade ball at the Armory on cash prizes given to the best dancers. Remember the night and come, as there will be good music furnished by the five-piece orchestra.

Returned From Visit

Mrs. W. H. Edwards has return ed from a three weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Leland and

Entertained.

Miss Ethel Woodyatt entertained six young people with a theatre party followed by music, games and refres! Mrs. E. Davis spent Christmas at ments at her home last evening. The Wedding Anniversary Dinner

ed by the Illini orchestra of six the guests were W. E. Hall, Miss

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Girls at Dixon Casket WANTED. factory.

Competent cook, Mrs. WANTED: Bradford Brinton, 506 Third Jan. 9-J. C. Weigee, 1-2 mile west Street. Telephone K-634.

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top. Mrs. Chas. Swim, 109 E. 5th St. Bowers, Aucts.

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FOR SALE: Unusual bargains in horses. and in Minnesota and North Da Fruin & Gentry, Aucts. ota. Full particulars write. Jan. 31-Barnard Feeley, closing HARRY C. WARNER, Vadsworth Co., 525 Temple Court out sale, 1 mile south of Eldena. Frudinneapolis, Minn., or Langdon. S. in & Powers, Aucts.

acre and up. Reliable resident will lo- Auct. cate homesteads. Wadsworth Co., 525 Feb. 6-Peter Barth, public sale, Fruin, Auct. Temple Court, Minneapolis, Minn. 24tf

FOR SALE. Several desirable lots.

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improved; also 5 room cottage will Harmon, 9 miles northwest of Ohio. ria road. Geo. Fruin, Auct. be sold at a bargain; half down, bal- M. A. Watson. ance on long time, J. H. Clark, Dixon, Feb. 8-S. E. Eakle, Duroc brood sale, 3 miles northwest of Grand De-

FOR SALE. On account of old age I Feb. 9-Chas. Moulton, Duroc his farm, 3 miles east of Dixon, 15 Head of Horses, 6 of them

will sell my improved level farm 1 brood sow sale at Morrison, Ill. Geo. George Fruin, Auctioneer. mile of postoffice at \$22 per acre. Fruin, Auct. Call or write. A. C. Earles, Daven- Feb. 13-Otto Luthi, closing out broad sow sale, five and a half miles 20 tons of loose timothy hay, 13

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ern conveniences, 315 E. Second St. Phone X615.

Dec. 28-Sam Dimick, 3 miles southwest of Harmon. J. P. Powers,

Jan. 3-Nels Jacobs, closing out sale, on Joe Gooch farm, 4 miles northwest of Dixon on Sterling Road.

Jan. 4-Thos. Dwyer, closing out 300tf sale, 2 1-2 miles southwest of Walton. J. P. Powers, Auct.

Jan. 9-P. F. Talty, public sale, 304 1 21/4 miles southwest of Harmon, 21/2 miles east of VanPetten. Coe & Rum-

sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand the tf of Nachusa, south of the C. & N. W. road on Carrie B. Crawford farm. F.

geldings, weighing from 1.000 to Jan. 10-Nathan Hill, closing out 1,100 pounds, five to eight years old. sale, 3' miles east of Dixon on Abner Coop & Lents Circus, Bovey Feed Barlow farm. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

out sale, 4 miles southeast of Dixon

lots in the east end near Bluff Jan. 17—Guy Merriman, closing dred and fifty feet to the north line the navy made their congratulations 10 11:21 a.m.

Jan. 23-Michael O'Malley, closing erly one-third of said Lot Two, situdition and baby carriage with hood I mile south of Eldena. Fruin and of Illinois;

Fruin, Auct.

lamp with one plain and one fancy out sale, one mile north of Lee Cen sold separately without material inshade; complete outfit. Call Phone ter. Largest closing out sale in Lee jury to the parties interested. Short Horn cattle and Percheron day of December, A. D. 1916.

Feb. 1-Will Veith, closing out

1-2 mile south of Woosung on Polo Feb 15-Fred Lahr, closing out

Fruin, Auct. Feb. 7-Charles Garrison Closing farm, Ira Rutt, Auct,

Mrs. Geo. H. Squires, Phone 75. Out Sale, 3 1-2 miles east of Dixon. George Fruin, Auctioneer.

sale, on farm known as the Goodrich Rutt, Auct. tion, for \$12. May be seen in base farm, 4 miles west of Dixon on Lin- Feb. 16-E. J. Holleran, Campus, ment of Zoeller's store. 296 tf coln highway, and one-half mile III. Duroc brood sow sale. George north. Ira Rutt, Auct.

FOR SALE. Modern 6 room house Feb. 8-Closing out sale, 12 miles Feb. 37-Alfred Tourtillott, public with large barn, on good street, all south of Dixon, 7 miles southeast of sale, 5 miles south of Dixon on Peo-ing out sale at the North Side Livery

297 12* sow sale, Prophetstown, Ill. Geo. tour. Fruin & Fahrney, Aucts. - Fruin, Auct.

300tf sale, 2 miles east of Dixon on Trus- southwest of Dixon. Fruin, Plumley tons of baled timothy hay. dale farm, Geo. Fruin. Auct.

FOR SALE. 1 rooster and 12 pullets Feb. 14-Geo. Remmers, closing Feb. 23-Wm, Aschoff, closing out -full blooded Rocks. Phone K131. out sale, 2 miles north of Grand De sale, on the Byers farm in Palmyra Fruin & Rutt, Aucts. township, George Fruin, Auct. tour. Fruin & Rutt, Auces.

CARELESS IN AP-PROCHING CROSSINGS

(Continued from page 1)

home to spend the holidays with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. U. S. highway crossings in this state, con pared with only 14 passengers. Miss Dorothy Barnett spent sev The automobile is largely respon-

eral days with Chicago friends last sible for these accidents, because, a the Public Utilities commission has Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Chadwick said "automobile drivers will not ap vere over Sunday visitors with Ash proach a crossing in the same careful congested and inflamed, such aches manner as the driver of a team."

Actual tests recently made by the entertained a number of their California Railroad Commission have triends Thursday evening in the showed that of 17,100 drivers of mo A surprise party was given Mr. tor vehicles, 12,000 did not look eithand Mrs. Ira L. Cooper Monday er way before crossing the railway evening in honor of their tenth wed tracks, while over 3,000 crossed at ting anniversary. They were pre- reckless speed.

ented with a lovely rocking chair. The Illinois Railroad committee is A Christmas entertainment will sues a novel argument why automobe given Saturday evening in the biles, horse-driven vehicles and pechurch by the Sunday School pupils. destrians must "Stop, Look Both Mrs. Laurence- Parker of near Ways and Listen" at crossings to in-Rockford was an over-Sunday visitor sure safety. A train running 60 miles an hour goes 88 feet in one second Mrs. Mary F. Burd has rented and cannot be stopped in less than a her cottage on Main street to Theo quarter of a mile. On the other hand an automobile going the legal limit of 25 miles an hour can be stopped in 50 feet; a horse can be stopped very quickly and a pedestrian can stop al-Mrs. Minnie Davinson of Mount most instantly.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

The undersigned, having been ap-304 4 County this winter. Pure bred Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 6th Testament of George G. Sills, late of the County of Lee, and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, at the March Term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims time of the closing of all mail foragainst said estate are notified and warded from the Dixon postoffice. at Dixon Saturday were Mrs. John requested to attend for the purpose Mail should be in the postoffice ten Heckman and son Louis, Mr. and or call Phone 38121. Dixon, Ill. of having the same adjusted.

road and 4 miles north of Dixon. Geo. sale, 7 miles west of Dixon on River are requested to make immediate road, on farm known as Flannigan payment to the undersigned. Dated this 22nd day of December,

> FRANK J. SILLS. Executor

HENRY C. WARNER.

The undersigned will hold a clos-Barn, West Everett St., Dixon, Illi-

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Saturday, Dec. 30, 1916 Consisting of the fellowing personal Feb. 21-Dr. Ives-Stock sale on property:

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Dixon that carry passengers and reight, :Daily. *Daily except Sunday. South Bound.

Local Exp., Dly ex. Sun. 7:20 a. m 11:10 a. m. 23 Southern Exp. 31 Clinton Exp. * 5:00 p. m. North Bound. 32 Ft. Dodge Exp. 5:35 p. m. 24 Local Mail 20 Local Exp. 8:40 p. m. Freeport Freight

HICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY. Correct time of all passenger trains Dec eaving Dixon. *Daily except where May

East Bound to Chicago.

9:15 a. m. 6:45 a. m. 28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a. m. z:00 p. m. 20 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:25 p. m. Secretary Daniels read to the ad- 4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m. 2 6:10 p. m. West Bound, Ar. Dixon

13 10:45 a. m. 1:18 p. m. 19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m. 27 4:20 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:24 p. m. 8:40 p. m. 9:04 p. m. 12:06 a. m. 2:22 a. m. 3 11:20 p. m. No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria

801 8:30 a. m. xTrain 17. Stops only for passengers for Canyon, Wyo., and beyond, pointed Executor of the last Will and or for DesMoines sleeping passen-

The following table shows the minutes preceding the locking of the Mrs. L. Hartzell, Mr. Brink. All persons indebted to said estate pouch to insure its dispatch; East Mail.

	No. 6 3:00 a. n.					
	No. 28., 6:55 a, m					
	No. 4 3:55 p. m.					
	No. 12 5:40 p. m					
	No. 20					
West Mail.						
	No. 5 9:55 a. m					
	No. 13 12:55 p. m					
	No. 27 7:00 p. m					
	No. 9 8:25 p. m.					
	No. 15 1:55 a. m					
South Mail,						
	No. 119 6:55 a. m.					
	No. 12210:40 a. m.					
	No. 131 4:50 p. m.					
North Mail.						
	No. 132 9:30 a. m.					
	No. 120 8:25 p. m.					
	No. 124 4:50 p. m.					

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93 1/2 5 91 1/4 May 921/4 50 1/8 49 1/2 49 % Pork-2717 2725 2715 Jan May 2697 2697 Jan

1400 1400 1390 1390 1447 1447 1432 1432 Receipts today-Hos 45,000.

Cattle 19,000. Sheep 18,000. Hogs left over 7500. Hogs open steady. Mixed 980a1050. Heavy 1035a1060. Rough 1005a1020.

Light 950a1030. Cattle and sheep strong. Hogs close steady. Top 1070. Estimated tomorrow 50,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fritts called on friends near Ashton last Thurs-

Charles Shoemaker of Bearden, Arkansas, visited with his sister, Mrs. R. A. Wright, the first of the week; Mr. Shoemaker was a former resident of Lee County until 1902

Mrs. J. Passmore is on the sick list

Among the Sunnyside shoppers

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shoemake of St. Louis were guests at the home of his sister, Mrs. Wright, last week. After a short visit with Mr. Shoemaker's mother at Eldena they left for Arkansas to spend the

Miss Lida Passmore and and Charles Wolf of Dixon met with an accident Sunday when returning home; their car was badly burned. They fortunately escaped without injury.

Mr. Wrightman, who recently purchased a tractor, disposed or three of his horses at the combina tion sale Saturday.

Mrs. John Brink is suffering with

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sale on the old Kaylor farm, 6 miles Best land north of Iowa, \$3.00 per northeast of Dixon. D. M. Fahrney, Feb. 15-J. L. Welty, closing out

Feb. 7-Addison Capp, closing out west of Dixon on River road. Ira

church parlor.

dore Berg of Chicago. Misses Bess Ruckman and Doro thy Barnett attended a reception in

of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Berg. Morris was a visitor this week at

> MASTER IN CHANCERY FORECLOSURE SALE

Public notice is hereby given that

Mr. Lloyd Shearer, who is attend

ing the University of New York, is

the Circuit Court in and for the Dec. 25: County of Lee and State of Illinois, Lettersmade and entered on the 10th day of October, A. D. 1916, in a certain cause therein pending wherein Glenni M. Swarts and Keith B. Swarts, administrators of the estate of Bert Swarts, deceased, are complainants and Harry H. Stahl and Ethel M. Stahl and other are defendants: Foreclosure No. 3406, I. the undersigned Master in Chancery of said Court, will, on Monday, the 8th day of January, A. D. 1917, at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the North

door of the Court House in the City

of Dixon, in the said County of Lee.

following described premises, to-wit. A part of Lots One (1) and Two of the City of Dixon), in Lee County 3046 Jan. 16 - Wynn Seybert, closing Illinois, more particularly described DEWEY, 79, CONGRATULATED therwise specified: as follows: -- Commencing at a point on Chicago road. Fruin & Rutt, in the south line of said Block which is one hundred feet west of the south- Washington, Dec. 27.—Admiral Dew- 6 3:28 a.m. Jan. 16-C. J. Durr, closing out east corner of said Block; and run- ey was seventy-nine years old and Secsale, 1 mile east of Harmon. John ning thence northerly parallel with retary Daniels and his council and 18 8:05 a.m. the east line of said Block one hun- most of the high ranking officers of Park. Inquire of Henry T. Noble, 204 out sale, 3 miles south of Dixon on of said Lot Two; thence westerly in person at his office. along the north line of Lots One and miral part of a diary kept by an officer 100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. n. Jan. 18-Oscar Buhlar, closing out Two, a distance of one hundred feet; of the United States steamship Colosale, 4 miles northwest of Dixon, 1 thence at right angles southerly one rado, dated Dec. 26, 1868, which told mile south of Woosung. Ira Rutt, hundred and fifty feet to the south how First Lieutenant George Dewer line of said Block, and thence easter- had tried to make the Christmas sea- No. Lv. Chicago January 22—Lee Eastman, closing ly along said south line to the place by giving each bluefacket a bettle of 99 7:10 a.m. Sun only out sale, 41/2 miles south of Dixon on of beginning, being the Easterly one- wine. third of said Lot One and the west-

Jan. 24—Abe Miller, closing ou, ficient to realize the amount found by storm regards. ale, 1-2 mile south of Nachusa, Geo. said decree to be due complainants, principal, interest, costs of suit and Jan. 30-Frank King, Closing expenses of sale, and which may be Estate of George G. Sills, Deceased.

Master in Chancery

Solicitor for Complainants.

sale, 1-2 mile north of Nachusa. Geo

Feb. 16-Elmer Byers, closing out A. D. 1916. sale, on E. W. Smith farm, 4 miles

Feb. 20-Jones & Cox, closing out nois, commencing at 12:30 p. m. on

& Rutt. Aucts.

WM. F. HOGAN.

bill heads? The Telegraph has a to "Aunt Barbara" was found and

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

East attending a special course of Evansville, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs office on the fifth floor of the bank of Nelson. After the dinner a bear building Thursday, Dec. 28, and on tiful Christmas tree was enjoyed b all Tuesdays, Thursdays and Satur- the merry crowd. The day at 'the days hereafter, as usual.

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To Garden Prairie

Mrs. E. C. Lumsden and son Mrs. A. J. Steacy and daughter Newell have gone to Garden Prairie entertained at Christmas dinner for a week's visit with Mrs. Lums Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith, and den's mother, Mrs. Newell.

At D. C. Harden Home

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Harden enaan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hen of Mrs. Dolly Phillips. ry Bollman, Jr., and family, Mr. Henry Bollman, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Manning.

Gave Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards and Rock Falls. son William of Paw Paw, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edwards, and States Attorney Harry Edwards of Dixon. The Woman's Catholic Order

The regular Moose dance will be iven in the Moose Hall tomorrow made for a good time. The public is bread, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White

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Mr. and Mrs. John Ortgiesen Sr., and son and daughter, Edward and Miss Tina Ortgiesen, pleasantly entertained the following at dinner Sunday at their home in Nelson: Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Pitts of Indiana, beth Lady of Dixon, H. C. Gardner of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ortgiesen, Sr., and family of

The day following, a Christmas dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. Ortgiesen, the guests for that in Dr. Stanley, foot specialist, is at cluding Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Barton, the Bishop hotel, Do you need his Misses Katle Ortgiesen and Esther tf Barton, D. A. Barton, all of Dix on, Mr. and Mrs. Lord Agnew and Dr. Frizelle who has been in the Ill., Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Pitts o study, has returned and will be in his H. A. Ortgiesen, Sr., and family 1 Ortgiesen home was a very pleasure

John Nurnberg of Mendota, and Mr and Mrs. William Harkins at an excellent dinner Christmas Day.

At Dinner Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Lerdall and

Were Dinner Guests

Mr. Rife of Sterling and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson and son and Mrs. Earl Watts were dinner Henry, Mr. and Mrs. William Boli guests Christmas Day at the home

Dined in Rock Falls

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bennett and daughter, Miss Bertha, of Dixon, Miss Anna Woodbridge, Mrs. I. Olive, and son, Sanford, of Ashton, Hitchcock, and Miss Jean Hitch and Nelson Hutchinson of Dixon ock were hostesses Christmas Day were Christmas guests at the home t a dinner, the guests including of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dyer of

At Wm. Whitebread Home

Guest of Brother

Mrs. Samuel Boyd of Cedar Falls, Iowa, is spending the wee

Mrs. Frank Garrison entertained Christmas Day her aunt, Dr. Ha let Garrison with a delicious di

Surprised Commander Bott Commander Charles Bott of Ba

For Christmas

Miss Clara Nicklaus spent Chris for Xmas we have mixed candy, and mas with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fas

To California.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Leake leav soon for California. They will be in Dixon this week.

On Christmas Night

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